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SUBJECT: ZAMBIAN REACTION TO CARLETONVILLE SHOOTINGS

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1. GRZ FOREIGN MINISTER ELIJAH MUDENDA SEPT 13 CONDEMNED KILLING OF ELEVEN BLACK MINERS BY SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE AS "BLATANT CRIMINAL ACT." MAINTAINED ONLY CRIME OF BLACK SOUTH AFRICANS IS THEIR DETERMINATION FIGHT AGAINST "SLAVE WAGES AND WORKING CONDITIONS." MUDENDA CALLED ON INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY TO INTENSIFY PRESSURE ON RACISTS AND FOREIGN COMMERCIAL INTERESTS OPERATING IN SOUTH AFRICA FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN WAGES AND CONDITIONS. HE EXPRESSED DOUBT WHETHER OUTCOME OF JUDICIAL COMMISSION OF INQUIRY WOULD BE FAIR.

2. FOLLOWING PRESENTATION OF CAMEROON AMBASSADOR'S CREDENTIALS SEPT. 14 AT STATE HOUSE, PRESIDENT KAUNDA ALSO STRONGLY ATTACKED ACTION OF SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE. PRESIDENT REGRETTEED THAT LUSAKA MANIFESTO NOT ACCEPTED BY RACISTS TO SOUTH AS GUIDELINE TO SOLUTION OF SOUTHERN AFRICAN SITUATION. PRESIDENT ADDED, "THEREFORE RACISTS MUST BE FOUGHT BY ALL THINKING MEN AND WOMEN THE WORLD OVER."

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3. IN STATEMENT ISSUED HERE SOUTH AFRICAN ANC DESCRIBED DEAD

MINERS AS "MARTYRS AND HEROES." SAID INCIDENT WAS FURTHER EVIDENCE
OPPRESSED IN SOUTH AFRICA "ARE NOT PREPARED TO SUBMIT TO TYRANNY."
ANC PLEDGED TO CONTINUE STRUGGLE UNTIL WHITE DOMINATION DESTROYED.
CLAIMING THAT ONLY ANSWER TO RULE BY FORCE IS MOBILIZATION OF WORKERS
INTO STRONG AND POWERFUL TRADE UNIONS, SACTU IN COMPANION
STATEMENT CALLED ON ALL BLACK WORKERS IN SOUTH AFRICA TO
RALLY BEHIND DEMANDS OF MINE WORKERS.
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